IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Shigetsugu HAYASHI et al

SERIAL NO: NEW APPLICATION

FILED:

HEREWITH

FOR:

REPAIR AND REINFORCEMENT METHOD FOR PREEXISTING STRUCTURES AND AN

ANISOTROPIC TEXTILE USED THEREFOR

REQUEST FOR PRIORITY

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

- Full benefit of the filing date of U.S. Application Serial Number 09:065,098, filed April 29, 1998, is claimed pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §120.
- □ Full benefit of the filing date of U.S. Provisional Application Serial Number, filed, is claimed pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §119(e).
- Applicants claim any right to priority from any earlier filed applications to which they may be entitled pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §119, as noted below.

In the matter of the above-identified application for patent, notice is hereby given that the applicants claim as priority:

<u>COUNTRY</u>	APPLICATION NUMBER	MONTH/DAY/YEAR
JAPAN	7/284751	NOVEMBER 01, 1995
JAPAN	7/284752	NOVEMBER 01, 1995
JAPAN	8/32473	FEBRUARY 20, 1996
JAPAN	8/38048	FEBRUARY 26, 1996
JAPAN	8/243495	SEPTEMBER 13, 1996
JAPAN	8/243496	SEPTEMBER 13, 1996
JAPAN	8/265940	OCTOBER 07, 1996
WIPO	PCT/JP96/03208	NOVEMBER 1, 1996

Certified copies of the corresponding Convention Application(s)

- □ are submitted herewith
- □ will be submitted prior to payment of the Final Fee
- were filed in prior application Serial No. 09/065,098 filed April 29, 1998.
- were submitted to the International Bureau in PCT Application Number PCT/JP96/03208. Receipt of the certified copies by the International Bureau in a timely manner under PCT Rule 17.1(a) has been acknowledged as evidenced by the attached PCT/IB/304.
- ☐ (A) Application Serial No.(s) were filed in prior application Serial No. filed ; and
 - (B) Application Serial No.(s)
 - are submitted herewith
 - □ will be submitted prior to payment of the Final Fee





(CONTINUED)

22850 Tel. (703) 413-3000 Fax. (703) 413-2220 (OSMMN 10 98)

Respectfully Submitted,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND, MAIER & NEUSTADT #.C.

Norman F. Oblon

Registration No. 24,618

Harris A. Pitlick

Registration No. 38,779